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Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a three-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 within which to respond to the Official Action mailed March 20, 2003, such extension allowing the undersigned until September 22, 2003 to respond. If any further extension of time is required, Applicant hereby requests the appropriate extension of time.

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